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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)	
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IRVING N. WEINBERG)	
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Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Sir:

In compliance with the duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. § 1.56 and in accordance with the practice under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.97 and 1.98, the Examiner's attention is directed to the documents listed on the enclosed Form PTO-1449. Each of these documents was cited in Application No. 10/278,096 (the "096 Application"), the parent of this continuation application. Copies of the listed documents will be furnished upon the Examiner's request.

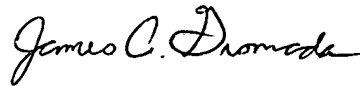
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CONCLUSION

It is respectfully requested that the above information be considered by the Examiner and that a copy of the enclosed Form PTO-1449 be returned indicating that such information has been considered.

Applicant's undersigned attorney may be reached in our Washington, D.C. office by telephone at (202) 625-3500. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our address given below.

Respectfully submitted,



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U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS							
*EXAMINER INITIAL		DOCUMENT NUMBER	DATE	NAME	CLASS	SUBCLASS	FILING DATE IF APPROPRIATE
		US 6,229,145 B1	05/08/01	Weinberg	250	363.02	
		5,931,774	08/03/99	Williams, et al.	600	2	
		5,519,221	05/21/96	Weinberg	250	363.02	
		5,323,006	06/21/94	Thompson, et al.	250	363.02	
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		5,219,351	06/15/93	Teubner, et al.	606	130	
		5,077,034	12/31/91	Kassis, et al.	424	1.1	
		5,051,257	09/24/91	Pietronigro	424	423	
		5,046,498	09/10/91	Fishman	128	653 CA	
		4,981,142	01/01/91	Dachman	128	749	
		4,135,089	01/16/79	McIntyre	250	313	
FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS							
		DOCUMENT NUMBER	DATE	COUNTRY	CLASS	SUBCLASS	TRANSLATION YES/NO/ OR ABSTRACT
		093017620	09/93	EPO			
		WO 93/17620 A1	09/93	WIPO (Siczek, et al.)			
		59-180477	10/84	Japan			
		5510589	08/81	Japan			
OTHER DOCUMENT(S) (Including Author, Title, Date, Pertinent Pages, Etc.)							
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